

**REMARKS**

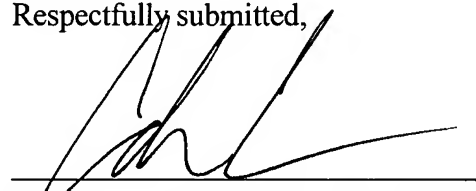
**Examiner Interview**

In the telephonic interview conducted September 1, 2004 between Examiner Lankford and the undersigned attorney, claims 1-34, 36-46 and 61-72 were discussed, particularly select amendments thereto. No agreement was reached as to whether the amended claims would be substantively reviewed.

**CONCLUSION**

In light of the foregoing remarks and the previously-filed August 3, 2004 Amendment, Applicant respectfully submits that all objections and/or rejections have been traversed, rendered moot, and/or accommodated, and that the now pending claims 1-34, 36-46, and 61-72 are in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application and all pending claims are hereby courteously requested. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephonic conference would expedite the examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned agent at (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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